

The Chronicle.

Local Matters.

We are under obligations to John H. Thompson, Esq., for late Washington City paper.

There will be a meeting of the Board of the Belmont County Agricultural Society on next Saturday, the 16th day of March, 1861. By order of Board.

C. W. CARROLL, Sec.

A Good Physician.—Mr. Head, who is boring for a silo a short distance South of Morristown, has met with favorable indications at the depth of between thirty and forty feet. Sure, we are having oil in the "troubled waters."

The editor of the Gazette complains bitterly because the Union men of Warren township denounce the inevitable "Gone Less." Vallandigham and himself made a slight mistake; they should have said *less*!

Donation.—Rev. J. B. Graham, Presbyterian minister of Morristown, was called upon by a number of his friends on Tuesday, 5th inst. They left him a positive expression of their good will in money, provisions, etc. The ladies of Mr. Graham's congregation provided a rich repast for the occasion, which was served from 2 to 5 o'clock.

The P. O. ELECTION.—As was announced in the CHRONICLE for the last two weeks, an election for Postmaster came off on last Saturday, and resulted as follows:

Mrs. J. A. Ramage.....44

H. R. Bumgarner.....24

John A. Grove.....20

Previous to going into the election each of the candidates had agreed to abide by the decision of a plurality of votes, accordingly.

Mrs. Ramage is elected.

Horse Show.—The Managers of the Belmont County Agricultural Society have in contemplation a Horse Show, to come off upon the beautiful grounds of that Society sometime in the month of May. Horsemen, and all others who admire that noble animal, will take notice and govern themselves accordingly. We have in our county some of the finest horses in the Union. These shows have proved successful in other counties of this State, and we have no doubt will be alike successful in this county.

Oil EXCITEMENT AT LOYDVILLE.—We understand the quiet village of Loydville was thrown into a high state of excitement a few days ago, by the appearance of oil at several points in the neighborhood. Some drove stakes to mark the spot where they intended to dig a hole, and others shouted "our fortune's made." It turned out, however, that some fun-lover had been sprinkling the oil from a tin cup, and the sanguine oil hunters felt it to be the greatest oil-hole of these oil-boring times.

Job WORK.—We are now meeting out the finest Job Printing that has ever been executed in this county, and unhesitatingly challenge comparison of it with that of any other done in the county or elsewhere. Besides, we are constantly making additions to our stock of all the modern styles of Job Type, Borders, Rules, &c., and intend that the people of this county shall have no excuse for going abroad to have their printing done. GIVE US A CALL. Satisfaction guaranteed in all cases.

RUN.—On Thursday night last the barn of Joseph Carl, son, in York township, with its entire contents, was destroyed by fire—the work of an incendiary. About four weeks ago, a hay-house belonging to Brice Duvall, in the same neighborhood, was burned, showing that the scamps of that part of the country have not all been disposed of yet. We advise the people down there to keep a sharp look-out for them, and it will not be long until you get the balance of them where they ought to be.

WASHINGTON, March 12.—It is known to be the intention of the President to fill first the vacancies which exist and which must be filled during the present session of the Senate. Excepting in a few instances, the other appointments will be deferred, until this is done. In the meanwhile applicants are required to file their papers in the proper departments.

The officers of the Army met at the War Department at noon to-day and in company with Lieut. Gen. Scott and Secretary Cameron proceeded to the White House, and formally paid their respects to the President.

The President at to-day nominated to the Senate the Hon. Cassius M. Clay, of Ky., as minister to Spain, and the Hon. Thos. Corwin, of Ohio, minister to Mexico. The latter is considered the most important mission under the Government at this time, considering the territorial expansion question as connected with the Confederate States.

The President has also nominated Amos Tuck, of N. H., as naval officer for the port of Boston, Willard Phillips as collector at Salem, Mass., and Rufus Hosmer as Consul General at Frankfort-on-the-Maine. The former is the most greatful of the appointments, as it relates to the political character of the Journal, we must say, that it is not second to any paper received at this office. Cook, Hurt & Co., are always right on questions of national policy.

The commercial department is always reliable and of the latest date. The above being true, we are at loss to know why it is that so many persons in our State, and even some Republicans, prefer to patronize foreign papers to their home journal. There is another fact which we admire in the Journal: it never attempts to interfere with the interests of local papers, but uniformly recommends that they be first cared for.

Price of the Weekly.....\$1.50
Tri-Weekly.....\$.50
Daily.....\$.00

The great heart of Old Warren beats for the Union!

PUSH ON THE COLUMN!

"THE UNION, THE CONSTITUTION, AND THE EXECUTION OF THE LAWS!"

"Strike till the last need be expire,
Strike for the green grave of our sire—
God and our native land!"

The following resolutions were adopted by the UNCONDITIONAL FRIENDS OF THE UNION and the CONFEDERACY, in a meeting at Warfield's Hall, Barnesville, on the 2d inst. The resolutions were reported by Messrs. Coulson Davenport, L. Mitchell, David McCartney, S. Price, and Kelcey Hager, and have the genuine ring:

The election in New Hampshire has gone for the Republicans, by about the same majority as last year.

Deaths.

Resolved, By the Union men of Warren township in convention assembled, that in presenting their candidates for the popular suffrages they reaffirm the principles laid down by their party in this place, on the 29th of December last; that they again pledge themselves to the constitution and the Union as they are, and the faithful execution of the laws.

Resolved, That the experience of the last few months has fully demonstrated that hereafter there will be but two great parties to contend for the control of the Federal Government, the one the unconditional Union party of the whole country; the other the secessionists of the South and their Northern sympathizers.

Resolved, That the gallant and patriotic conduct of those distinguished Southern leaders, Gen. Winfield Scott, Major Robert Anderson, Joseph Holt, John A. Gilmer, Sherman, Clemens, John M. Botts, Emerson, Etheridge, Andrew Johnson, Cassius M. Clay, T. R. Nelson, Henry Winter Davis, Gov. Hicks, and others, in combatting the traitors which infest the country, both North and South, and in endeavoring to preserve the blessings of peace, tranquility, and Union, which this distressed country once enjoyed, merits with our ward approbation and heartfelt sympathy.

Resolved, That posterity will remember to stamp with infamy to the last generation, even, the descendants of all these Northern traitors Joe Lane, of Oregon, C. L. Vallenburgh of this State, and the present conductors of the St. Clairsville Gazette and Citizen, for the aid and comfort which they are at present doing all in their power to give those who are now engaged in the unhallowed work of undermining the foundations of this Republic.

Resolved, That the advice of Captain Charlesworth to the Union men of Virginia to vote for a conditional Union man, instead of an unconditional Union man, for the State Convention, taken with the continued habit of him and his supporters of apologizing for and defending the secessionists of the South betrays, in our opinion, the true character of the pretended Union men who have recently nominated a ticket for the popular suffrage of this township.

Resolved, That all unconditional Union men who can sustain the present, the incoming, and all succeeding Administrations, in the faithful discharge of their official duties—who have no sympathies whatever with the movements of traitors or their friends, are hereby cordially invited to bury all their political differences, and unite upon one common basis, for the purpose of sustaining the holy cause of the Constitution and the Union and the enforcement of the laws.

Resolved, That the editors of the various county papers are requested to publish the proceedings of this meeting.

The committee on Nominations then reported the following ticket which was adopted without dissent:

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